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**Sent:** Wed 6/27/2012 11:49:14 PM

Subject: thanks

Hey Erin

Thanks for the note.

Yeap, we did chat a bit about the East Contra Costa County RGP as source of ideas for a RGP. It was finalized (PN) in May.

Cassandra mentioned that she had a brief discussion with Mike N. and Mike J. about an RGP but nothing has yet gelled. We're hoping to toss possible approaches into the mix.

As a first pitch we may try to describe the general types of activities that might be covered in an RGP, and the monitoring design for compliance and assurances per those activities. Carl has some real projects coming-up that we can perhaps pattern after.

We hope to have a little something to share next month or perhaps in early August.

Rich

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Date: 06/27/2012 04:01 PM

Subject: Re: Today's conversation about BDCP compliance monitoring ideas

Hi Rich,

Thanks for the email and update. I'm glad you had a chance to talk with such a great group of folks working on BDCP.

EPA has not yet discussed potential for a RGP for a similar conservation activities under BDCP with DWR. Maybe DWR has discussed this with the Corps. EPA and Corps have had these discussions with other groups (mostly Counties) working on or having completed HCPs. I think Contra Costa County now has an RGP for restoration projects under their HCP for example. I don't know what their Mitigation and Monitoring Plan looks like but it should be easy enough to acquire in the event it might add value to your conversation. It may not, that HCP is v. different from BDCP.

Sounds like you all generated some good ideas. Thanks again for the update.

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